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SUBJECT: SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL COOPERATION: OBLIGATION OF FY 1978 FUNDS

- 1. DEPARTMENT HAS RECEIVED FUNDSFROM AID FOR SECOND YEAR S AND T PROGRAM.
- 2. IN ORDER TO OBLIGATE THE 4.6 MILLION DOLLARS OF FY 1978 S AND T FUNDS, IT WILL BE NECESSARY TO EXCHANGE NOTES WITH THE GOS IN WHICH THE U.S. AGREES TO MAKE A GRANT FOR THE S AND T PROGRAM. TEXT IS SIMILAR TO THE JANUARY 24, 1976, EXCHANGE FOR THE S AND T PROGRAM.

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3. BEGIN TEXT:

EXCELLENCY:

I HAVE THE HONOR TO REFER TO SUPPLEMENTARY AGREEMENT NUMBER THREE OF THE TREATY OF FRIENDSHIP AND COOPERATION WHICH CONCERNS SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL COOPERATION BETWEEN

OUR TWO COUNTRIES. TO FULFILL THE PROVISIONS OF SAID SUPPLEMENTARY AGREEMENT, AND TO CONTINUE COOPERATION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND SPAIN IN SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGICAL DEVELOPMENT, I HAVE THE HONOR TO INFORM YOUR

EXCELLENCY THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES HEREBY AGREES TO MAKE AVAILABLE AS A GRANT DURING THE U.S. FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1978, THE SUM OF 4,600,000 DOLLARS FOR AN ANNUAL PROGRAM WHICH, IN ACCORDANCE WITH PARAGRAPH A OF ARTICLE V OF SUPPLEMENTARY AGREEMENT NUMBER THREE. WILL BE MADE UP OF GROUPS OF SPECIFIC ACTIVITIES.

IF THE FOREGOING IS ACCEPTABLE TO THE GOVERNMENT OF SPAIN, I HAVE THE HONOR TO PROPOSE THAT THIS NOTE AND YOUR EXCELLENCY'S NOTE IN REPLY INDICATING CONCURRENCE SHALL CONSTITUTE AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN OUR TWO GOVERNMENTS ON THIS MATTER.

ACCEPT, EXCELLENCY, MY RENEWED ASSURANCES OF HIGHEST CONSIDERATION.

HIS EXCELLENCY MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS MADRID

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